	Year to date 1978	1979
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to November)	137,948	151,730
% Change	15.6	10.0
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to October)	160,854	157,757
% Change	45.8	−1.9
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. Ft. (to October)	86,185	89,459
% Change	3.5	3.8
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to September)	142,810	164,984
% Change	0.3	15.5
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to October)	2,173	1,877
% Change	13.5	− 13.6
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to November)	2,387,000	2,852,600
% Change	19.0	19.5

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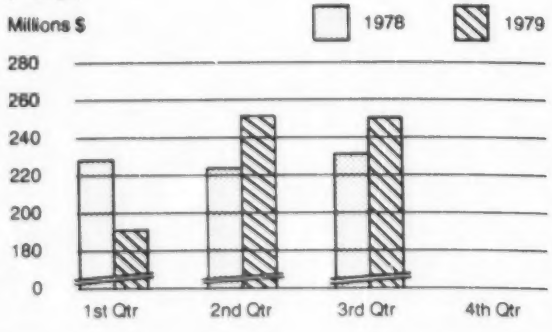

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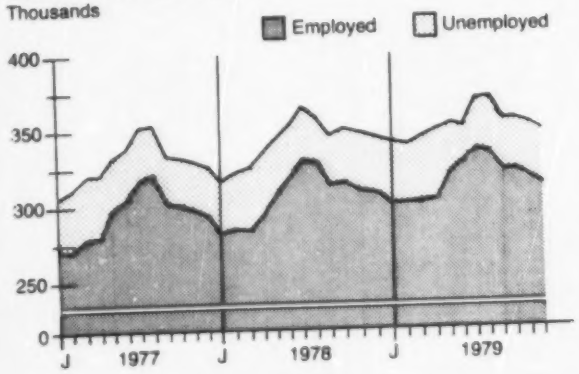
	1978	1979
People (at October 1)	843,900	848,500
% Change	0.7	0.5
Labour (December)		
Labour Force	344,000	349,000
% Change	5.8	1.5
Employed	310,000	315,000
% Change	6.2	1.6
Unemployed	34,000	34,000
Unemployment Rate Actual	9.9	9.9

Labour Resources

Thousands



Regional Unemployment Rates (December)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	14.2	14.6
Northumberland Region[1]	8.8	8.1
Valley Region[2]	13.2	10.1
South Shore Region[3]	7.7	9.3
Halifax County	8.2	8.8
Halifax Metro	8.0	9.4

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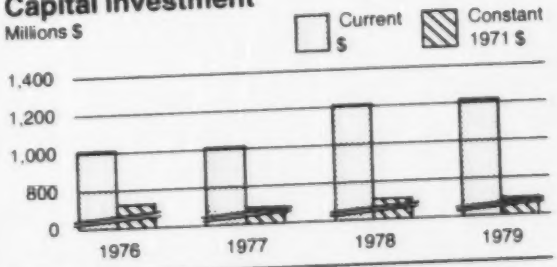
	1978	1979
Prices (December)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	181.3	199.0
% Change	8.4	9.8
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	178.3	194.5
% Change	7.8	9.1
Food	211.1	237.5
Housing	180.4	191.5

	Year to date 1978	1979
Incomes (to October)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	2,587.9	2,918.9
% Change	10.5	12.8
Millions Constant 1971 $	1,514.3	1,569.3
% Change	2.6	3.6
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	222.81	224.23
% Change	5.4	9.6
Constant 1971 $	130.37	131.31
% Change	− 2.1	0.7

Capital Investment

Millions $



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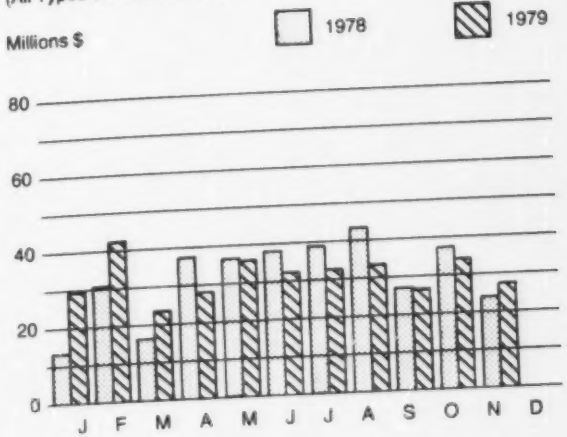
	Year to date 1978	1979
Construction (to December)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	3,170	2,779
% Change	−40.9	− 12.3
Halifax Metro	2,116	1,705
% Change	−50.5	− 19.4

Value of Building Permits

(All Types of Construction)



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% Change	6.0	0.8
Retail Trade Millions $ (to November)	1,988.6	2,263.4
% Change	16.0	13.8
Tourism Accommodation Guest Days Thousands (to December)	2,582,512	2,270,365
% Change	5.1	− 12.1

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	Year to date 1978	1979
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to December)	154,428	166,000
% Change	15.9	7.5
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to November)	175,251	175,805
% Change	45.5	0.3
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. Ft. (to November)	94,703	97,174
% Change	1.4	2.6
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to November)	177,741	202,895
% Change	1.2	14.2
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to November)	2,435	2,015
% Change	24.0	– 17.2
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to December)	2,627,000	3,123,100
% Change	19.3	18.9

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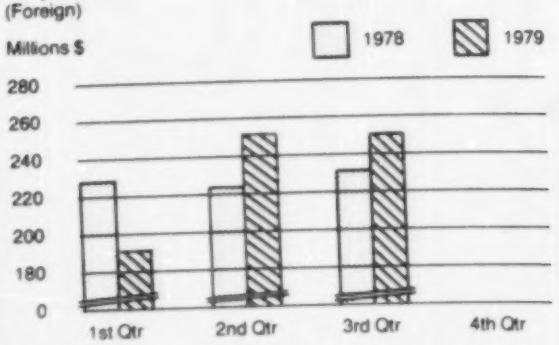

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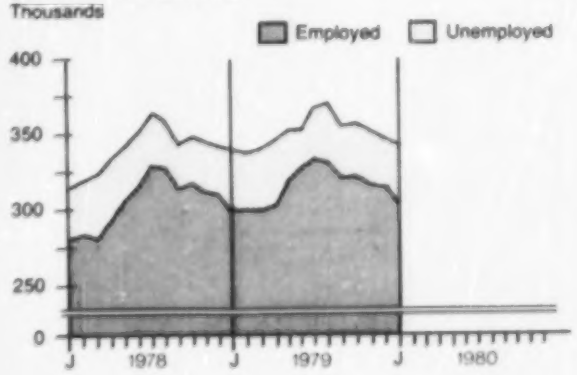
	1978	1979
People		
(at October 1)	843,900	848,500
% Change	0.7	0.5

	1979	1980
Labour (January)		
Labour Force	343,000	345,000
% Change	7.9	0.6
Employed	300,000	305,000
% Change	6.8	1.7
Unemployed	43,000	39,000
Unemployment Rate		
Actual	12.5	11.4

Labour Resources



Regional Unemployment Rates (January)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	18.3	15.4
Northumberland Region[1]	10.0	11.7
Valley Region[2]	15.1	13.1
South Shore Region[3]	11.0	12.0
Halifax County	10.5	9.1
Halifax Metro	10.1	9.1

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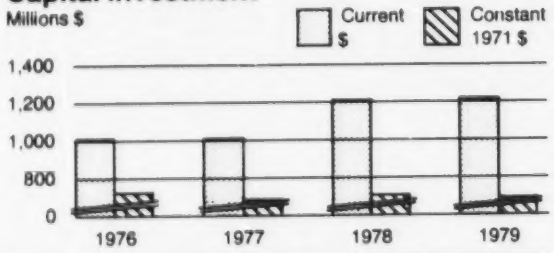
	1979	1980
Prices (January)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	182.7	200.1
% Change	8.9	9.5
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	178.8	195.9
% Change	8.0	9.6
Food	213.7	237.4
Housing	180.9	193.3

	Year to date 1978	1979
Incomes (to November)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	2,863.2	3,215.9
% Change	10.6	12.3
Millions Constant 1971 $	1,762.0	1,721.6
% Change	2.7	3.1
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	223.46	244.98
% Change	5.5	9.6
Constant 1971 $	130.30	131.15
% Change	– 2.1	0.7

Capital Investment



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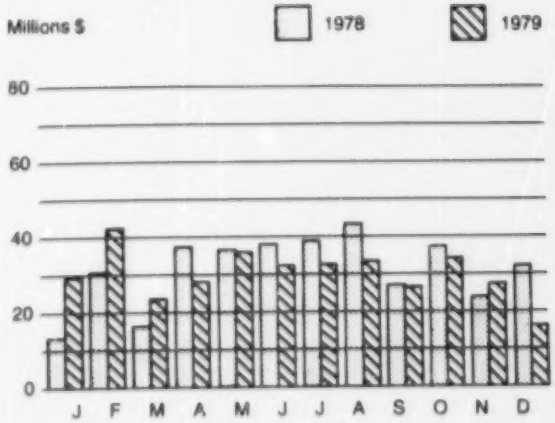
	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to January)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	112	68
% Change	– 55.4	– 39.3
Halifax Metro	79	37
% Change	– 47.0	– 53.2

Value of Building Permits

(All Types of Construction)



	Year to date 1978	1979
Energy Generated		
MW.h (to November)	5,523,612	5,559,189
% Change	6.6	0.6
Retail Trade		
Millions $ (to December)	2,242.4	2,526.4
% Change	15.8	12.7
Tourism		
Accommodation Guest Days		
Thousands (to December)	2,582,512	2,285,332
% Change	5.1	– 11.5

	Year to date 1978	1979
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to December)	154,428	166,000
% Change	15.9	7.5
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to December)	195,388	206,738
% Change	46.7	5.8
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. Ft. (to December)	102,424	104,444
% Change	2.1	2.0
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to December)	186,324	216,253
% Change	0.0	16.1
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to December)	2,650	2,378
% Change	22.4	– 10.3
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to December)	2,627,000	3,123,100
% Change	19.3	18.9

Exports
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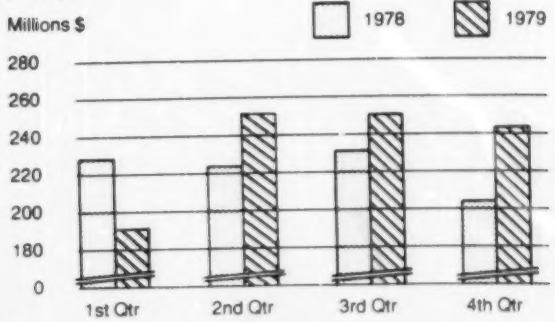

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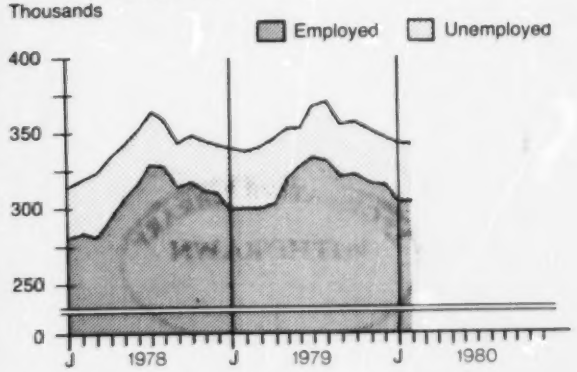
	1978	1979
People		
(at October 1)	843,900	848,500
% Change	0.7	0.5

	1979	1980
Labour (February)		
Labour Force	339,000	344,000
% Change	5.6	1.5
Employed	300,000	305,000
% Change	5.6	1.7
Unemployed	39,000	39,000
Unemployment Rate		
Actual	11.5	11.5

Labour Resources

Thousands



Regional Unemployment Rates (February)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	18.3	15.9
Northumberland Region[1]	11.5	10.7
Valley Region[2]	15.0	12.7
South Shore Region[3]	10.0	12.3
Halifax County	7.8	9.5
Halifax Metro	7.3	9.8

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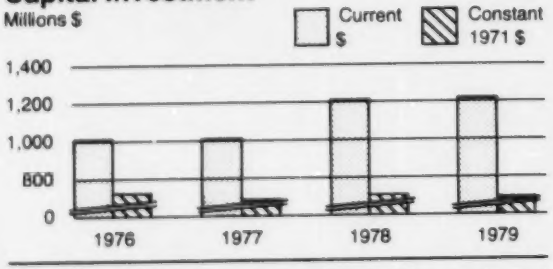
	1979	1980
Prices (February)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	184.4	201.8
% Change	9.2	9.4
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	180.7	198.2
% Change	8.5	9.7
Food	217.8	244.7
Housing	181.9	194.7

	Year to date 1978	1979
Incomes (to December)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	3,135.9	3,521.3
% Change	10.5	12.3
Millions Constant 1971 $	1,822.1	1,879.0
% Change	2.6	3.1
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	223.72	245.21
% Change	5.5	9.6
Constant 1971 $	129.99	130.85
% Change	− 2.1	0.7

Capital Investment

Millions $



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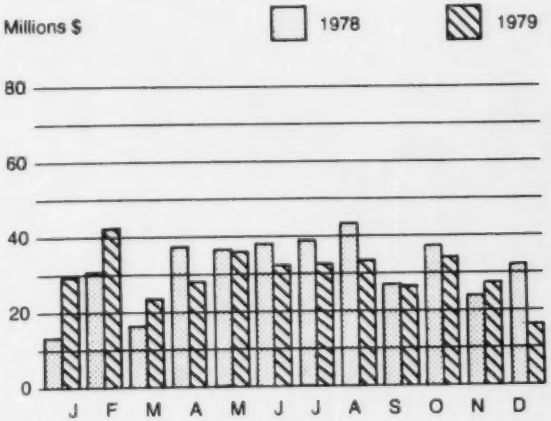
	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to February)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	211	194
% Change	− 53.7	− 8.1
Halifax Metro	110	143
% Change	− 60.4	30.0

Value of Building Permits

(All Types of Construction)



	1978	Year to date 1979
Retail Trade		
Millions $ (to January)	164,718	175,700
% Change	19.6	6.7

	1978	Year to date 1979
Energy Generated		
MW.h (to December)	6,131,722	6,165,610
% Change	6.5	0.6

Tourism		
Accommodation Guest Days		
Thousands (to December)	2,581,734	2,658,265
% Change	2.8	3.0

	Year to date 1979	1980
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to February)	25,830	30,200
% Change	15.0	16.9
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to January)	2,270	5,587
% Change	−41.0	146.1
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. M. (to January)	240.3	323.8
% Change	−3.2	34.7
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to January)	14,828	14,518
% Change	20.7	−2.1
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to January)	244,336	240,441
% Change	−4.4	−1.6
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to February)	459,600	559,000
% Change	19.3	21.6

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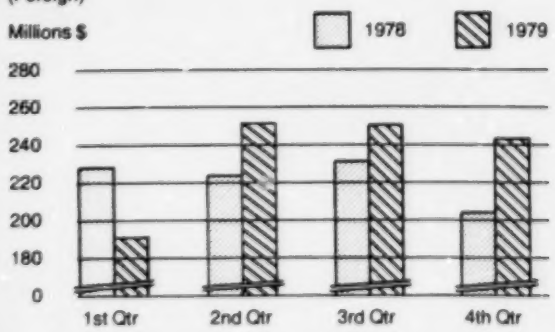

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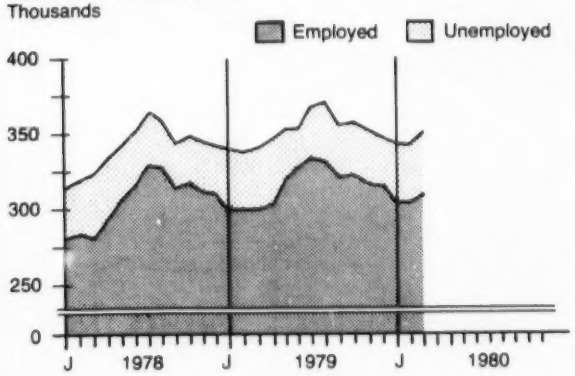
	1979	1980
People		
(at January 1)	845,800	851,000
% Change	0.8	0.6
Labour (March)		
Labour Force	344,000	350,000
% Change	6.2	1.7
Employed	300,000	310,000
% Change	6.4	3.3
Unemployed	44,000	40,000
Unemployment Rate		
Actual	12.7	11.5

Labour Resources

Thousands



Regional Unemployment Rates (March)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	21.0	14.0
Northumberland Region[1]	13.2	10.8
Valley Region[2]	15.2	12.9
South Shore Region[3]	8.9	9.3
Halifax County	9.4	10.5
Halifax Metro	9.0	10.4

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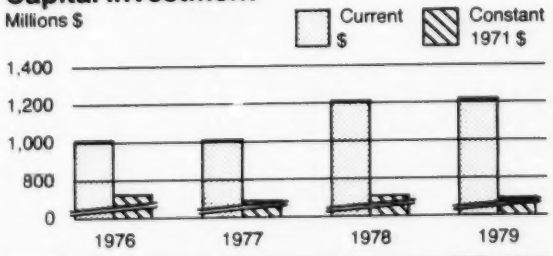
	1979	1980
Prices (March)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	186.6	204.0
% Change	9.3	9.3
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	182.5	201.0
% Change	8.6	10.1
Food	223.9	247.4
Housing	182.8	196.8

	Year to date 1979	1980
Incomes (to January)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	266.6	296.0
% Change	11.6	11.0
Millions Constant 1971 $	149.1	151.1
% Change	3.4	1.3
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	235.68	258.09
% Change	7.2	9.5
Constant 1971 $	131.81	131.75
% Change	− 0.7	−0.05

Capital Investment

Millions $



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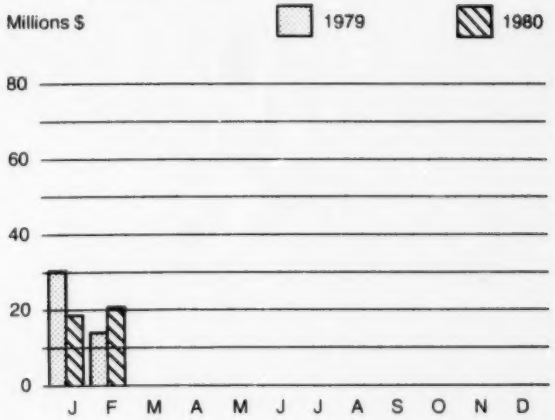
	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to March)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	511	391
% Change	− 22.6	− 23.5
Halifax Metro	350	230
% Change	− 34.3	− 19.2

Value of Building Permits

(All Types of Construction)



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MW.h (to January)	620,140	643,706
% Change	2.8	3.8
Retail Trade		
Millions $ (to February)	329.1	349.8
% Change	17.5	6.8
Tourism		
Accommodation Guest Days		
Thousands (to March)	392.9	313.4
% Change	6.6	− 20.2*

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	Year to date 1979	1980
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to February)	25,830	30,210
% Change	15.0	17.0
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to February)	5,769	12,652
% Change	−45.7	119.3
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. M. (to February)	523,844	624,041
% Change	10.2	19.1
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to January)	14,828	14,518
% Change	20.7	− 2.1
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to January)	244,336	240,441
% Change	− 4.4	− 1.6
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to March)	714,800	868,200
% Change	19.8	21.5

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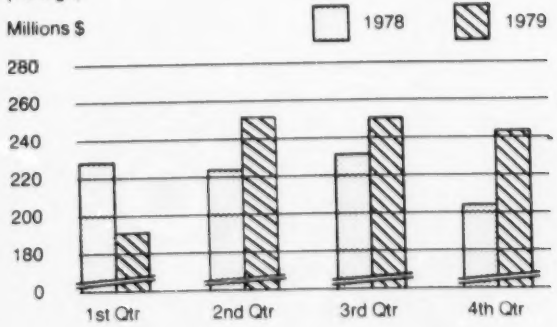

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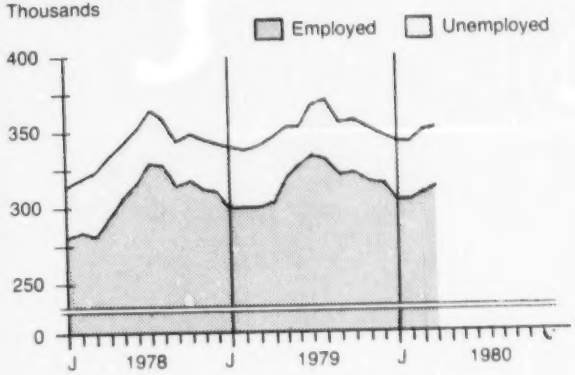
	1979	1980
People		
(at January 1)	845,800	851,000
% Change	0.8	0.6
Labour (April)		
Labour Force	347,000	351,000
% Change	3.6	1.2
Employed	303,000	313,000
% Change	3.4	3.3
Unemployed	43,000	39,000
Unemployment Rate		
Actual	12.5	11.1

Labour Resources

Thousands



Regional Unemployment Rates (April)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	20.0	15.0
Northumberland Region[1]	11.6	9.1
Valley Region[2]	16.4	12.6
South Shore Region[3]	10.7	9.1
Halifax County	9.2	10.6
Halifax Metro	8.9	10.6

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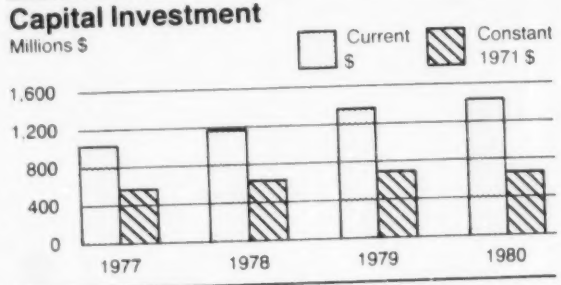
	1979	1980
Prices (April)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	187.9	205.2
% Change	9.8	9.2
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	183.9	202.6
% Change	8.8	10.2
Food	225.9	249.2
Housing	183.4	198.6

	Year to date 1979	1980
Incomes (to February)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	532.3	603.1
% Change	11.0	13.3
Millions Constant 1971 $	296.1	306.0
% Change	2.5	3.3
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	235.70	259.38
% Change	7.4	10.0
Constant 1971 $	131.09	131.60
% Change	− 0.8	0.4

Capital Investment

Millions $



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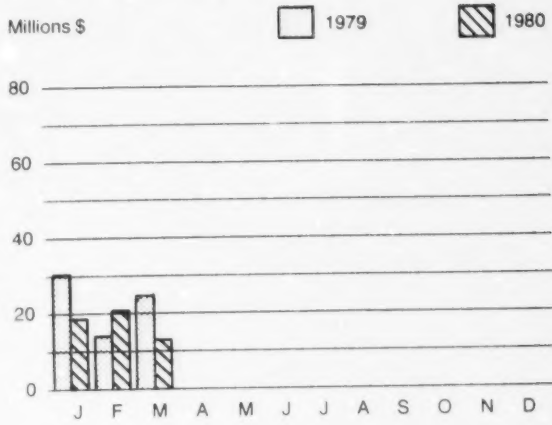
	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to April)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	655	419
% Change	− 18.4	− 36.0
Halifax Metro	452	254
% Change	− 16.5	− 43.8

Value of Building Permits

(All Types of Construction)



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% Change	5.2	3.2
Retail Trade		
Millions $ (to March)	531.2	544.1
% Change	18.3	2.4
Tourism		
Accommodation Guest Days		
Thousands (to March)	392.9	N/A
% Change	6.6	

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	Year to date 1979	1980
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to April)	54,400	62,700
% Change	26.0	15.3
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to March)	19,061	19,155
% Change	25.2	0.5
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. M. (to March)	658.0	876.1
% Change	−3.0	31.8
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to March)	45,352	39,642
% Change	30.7	−12.6
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to February)	470.9	480.0
% Change	−5.8	1.9
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to April)	964,000	1,144,500
% Change	20.1	18.7

Exports
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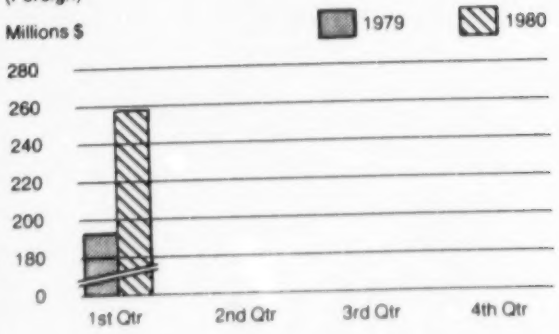

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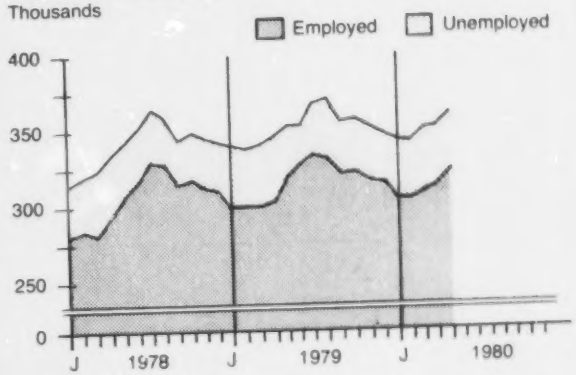
	1979	1980
People (at April 1)	847,100	851,600
% Change	0.8	0.5
Labour (May)		
Labour Force	353,000	362,000
% Change	2.9	2.5
Employed	320,000	326,000
% Change	4.6	1.9
Unemployed	33,000	36,000
Unemployment Rate Actual	9.3	9.9

Labour Resources

Thousands



Regional Unemployment Rates (May)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	13.9	13.6
Northumberland Region[1]	7.9	7.4
Valley Region[2]	12.3	9.9
South Shore Region[3]	7.3	7.9
Halifax County	7.6	10.0
Halifax Metro	7.1	10.0

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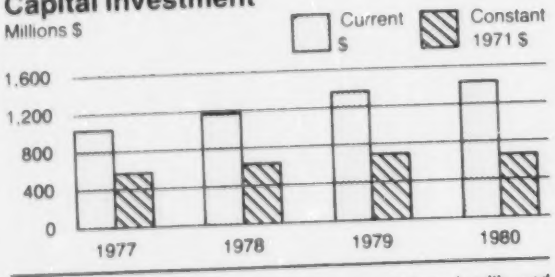
[3] Includes counties of Digby, Lunenburg, Queens, Shelburne and Yarmouth.

	1979	1980
Prices (May)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	189.7	207.6
% Change	9.3	9.4
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	186.1	204.5
% Change	9.7	9.9
Food	229.3	250.1
Housing	184.0	199.0

	Year to date 1979	1980
Incomes (to March)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	808.7	904.3
% Change	12.4	11.8
Millions Constant 1971 $	447.5	455.8
% Change	3.7	1.9
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	237.69	260.30
% Change	8.2	9.5
Constant 1971 $	131.54	131.20
% Change	−0.2	−0.3

Capital Investment

Millions $



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	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to May)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	963	561
% Change	−21.6	−41.7
Halifax Metro	608	373
% Change	−30.8	−38.7

Value of Building Permits

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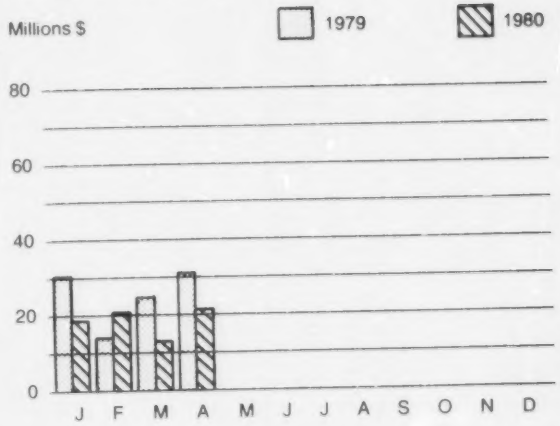

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% Change	2.8	5.4
Retail Trade Millions $ (to April)	730.2	744.5
% Change	16.8	2.0
Tourism Accommodation Guest Days Thousands (to March)	392.9	N/A
% Change	6.6	

	Year to date 1979	1980
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to May)	67,549	78,219
% Change	23.6	15.8
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to March)	19,061	19,155
% Change	25.2	0.5
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. Ft. (to May)	1,051.0	1,121.7
% Change	13.6	6.7
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to April)	61,625	56,257
% Change	19.6	– 8.7
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to March)	653.4	725.4
% Change	– 10.7	11.0
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to April)	964,000	1,144,500
% Change	20.1	18.7

Exports

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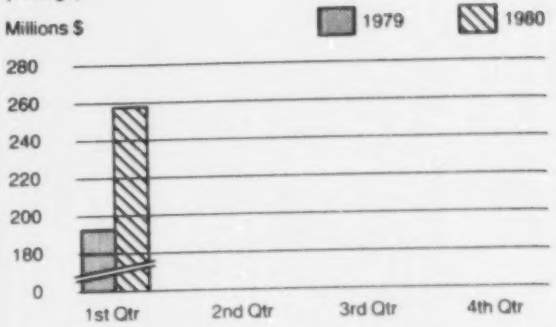

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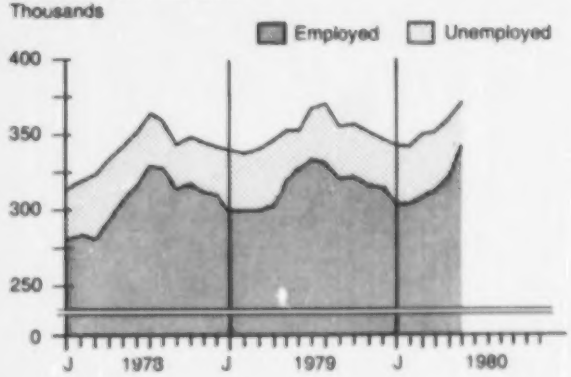
	1979	1980
People		
(at April 1)	847,100	851,600
% Change	0.8	0.5
Labour (June)		
Labour Force	353,000	372,000
% Change	0.6	5.4
Employed	326,000	342,000
% Change	2.8	4.9
Unemployed	28,000	30,000
Unemployment Rate		
Actual	7.8	8.2

Labour Resources

Thousands



Regional Unemployment Rates (June)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	12.8	13.3
Northumberland Region[1]	7.1	7.8
Valley Region[2]	7.9	8.2
South Shore Region[3]	5.6	6.7
Halifax County	6.5	6.7
Halifax Metro	6.4	6.3

[1] Includes counties of Antigonish, Colchester, Cumberland, Guysborough and Pictou.
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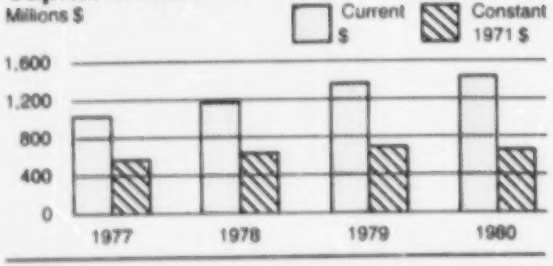
[3] Includes counties of Digby, Lunenburg, Queens, Shelburne and Yarmouth.

	1979	1980
Prices (June)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	190.6	209.9
% Change	8.9	10.1
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	187.3	206.5
% Change	9.3	10.3
Food	231.5	255.9
Housing	184.7	200.9

	Year to date 1979	1980
Incomes (to April)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	1,091.1	1,208.3
% Change	13.1	10.7
Millions Constant 1971 $	601.2	606.0
% Change	4.2	0.8
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	238.34	259.57
% Change	8.4	8.9
Constant 1971 $	131.32	130.18
% Change	− 0.1	− 0.9

Capital Investment

Millions $



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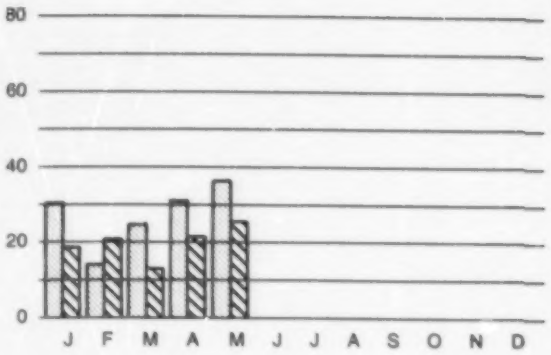
	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to May)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	963	561
% Change	− 21.6	− 41.7
Halifax Metro	608	373
% Change	− 30.8	− 38.7

Value of Building Permits

(All Types of Construction)

Millions $



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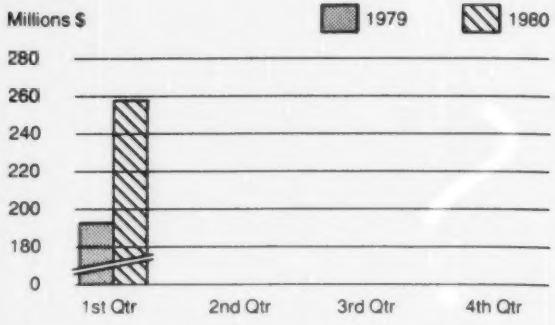
MW.h (to April)	2,250,098	2,346,377
% Change	1.2	4.3
Retail Trade		
Millions $ (to April)	730.2	744.4
% Change	16.8	1.9
Tourism		
Accommodation Guest Days		
Thousands (to March)	392.9	N/A
% Change	6.6	

	Year to date 1979	1980
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to June)	80,900	93,100
% Change	23.1	15.1
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to May)	67,983	63,046
% Change	17.5	– 7.3
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. Meters (to May)	1,051.0	1,121.7
% Change	13.6	6.7
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to May)	79,748	73,918
% Change	16.3	– 7.3
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to May)	1,048.4	1,151.6
% Change	–14.7	9.8
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to June)	1,530,100	1,746,100
% Change	17.8	14.1

Exports
(Foreign)



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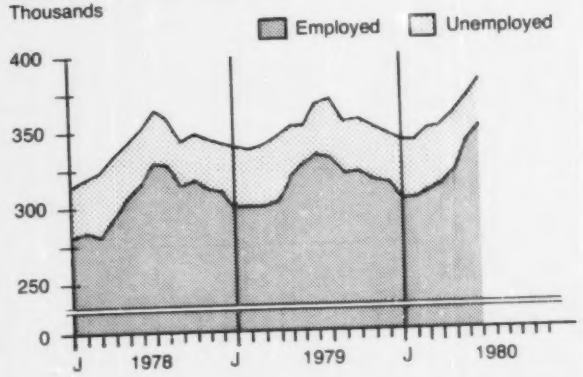
	1979	1980
People (at April 1)	847,100	851,600
% Change	0.8	0.5
Labour (July)		
Labour Force	368,000	383,000
% Change	0.5	4.1
Employed	334,000	351,000
% Change	1.8	5.1
Unemployed	34,000	33,000
Unemployment Rate Actual	9.3	8.5

Labour Resources

Thousands



Regional Unemployment Rates (July)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	16.5	12.5
Northumberland Region[1]	7.3	8.1
Valley Region[2]	8.3	7.5
South Shore Region[3]	7.6	7.5
Halifax County	7.9	7.7
Halifax Metro	7.6	6.7

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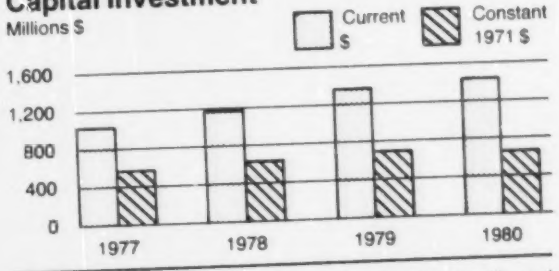
	1979	1980
Prices (July)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	192.1	211.5
% Change	8.1	10.1
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	189.0	208.5
% Change	9.0	10.3
Food	236.7	260.0
Housing	185.3	202.0

	Year to date 1979	1980
Incomes (to May)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	1,388.2	1,527.9
% Change	13.1	10.1
Millions Constant 1971 $	761.1	762.4
% Change	4.1	0.2
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	240.13	260.81
% Change	9.0	8.6
Constant 1971 $	131.65	130.15
% Change	0.3	−1.1

Capital Investment

Millions $



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	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to July)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	1,527	841
% Change	− 13.1	− 44.9
Halifax Metro	1,005	534
% Change	− 23.5	− 46.9

Value of Building Permits

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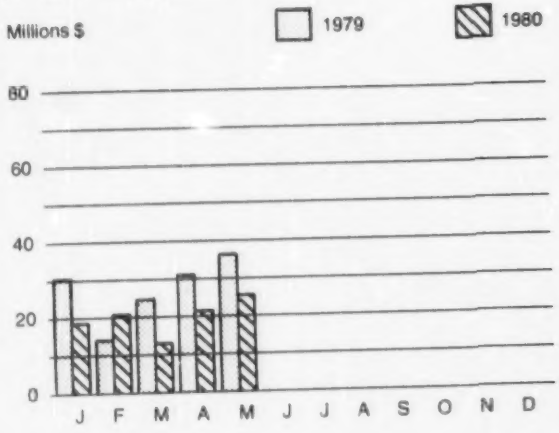

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% Change	− 0.4	9.0
Retail Trade Millions $ (to May)	952.8	985.2
% Change	16.8	3.4
Tourism Accommodation Guest Days Thousands (to March)	392.9	N/A
% Change	6.6	

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	Year to date 1979	1980
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to July)	95,400	109,700
% Change	22.1	15.0
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to June)	86,560	86,212
% Change	5.2	– 0.4
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. Ft. (to July)	1,679.3	1,754.6
% Change	8.5	4.5
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to June)	101,602	90,612
% Change	15.9	– 10.8
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to May)	1,048.4	1,151.6
% Change	– 14.7	9.8
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to July)	1,808,600	2,023,000
% Change	19.2	11.9

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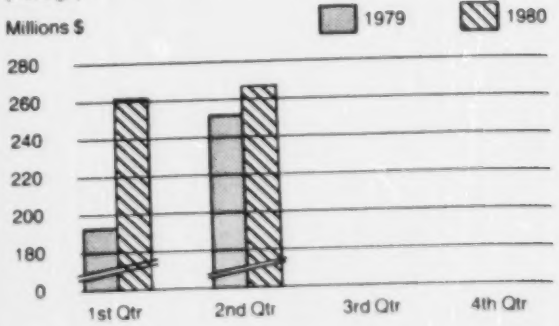

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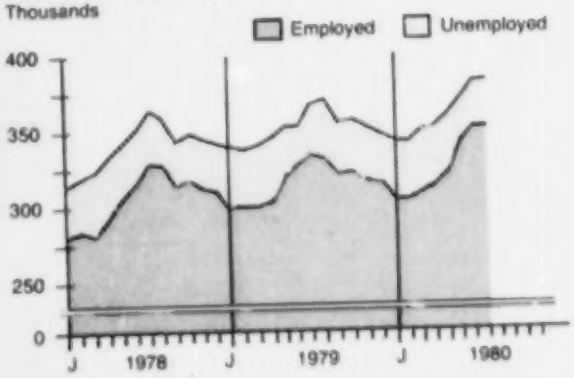
	1979	1980
People (at July 1)	847,800	853,100
% Change	0.7	0.6
Labour (August)		
Labour Force	369,000	384,000
% Change	2.2	4.1
Employed	333,000	348,000
% Change	1.8	4.5
Unemployed	36,000	36,000
Unemployment Rate Actual	9.6	9.3

Labour Resources

Thousands



Regional Unemployment Rates (August)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	14.7	13.0
Northumberland Region[1]	6.4	9.7
Valley Region[2]	9.7	8.0
South Shore Region[3]	6.5	6.6
Halifax County	9.8	8.9
Halifax Metro	10.3	8.7

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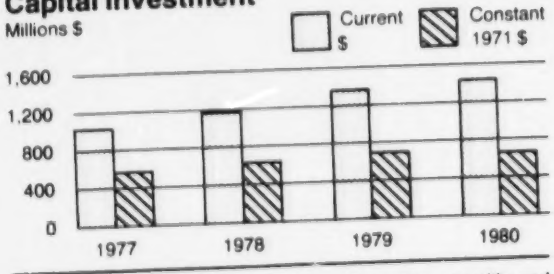
	1979	1980
Prices (August)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	192.8	213.5
% Change	8.4	10.7
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	189.5	210.3
% Change	8.7	11.0
Food	235.9	263.1
Housing	185.8	203.0

	Year to date 1979	1980
Incomes (to June)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	1,690.3	1,851.3
% Change	12.7	9.5
Millions Constant 1971 $	922.7	918.8
% Change	3.6	−0.4
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	241.28	261.46
% Change	9.2	8.4
Constant 1971 $	131.70	129.76
% Change	0.4	−1.5

Capital Investment

Millions $



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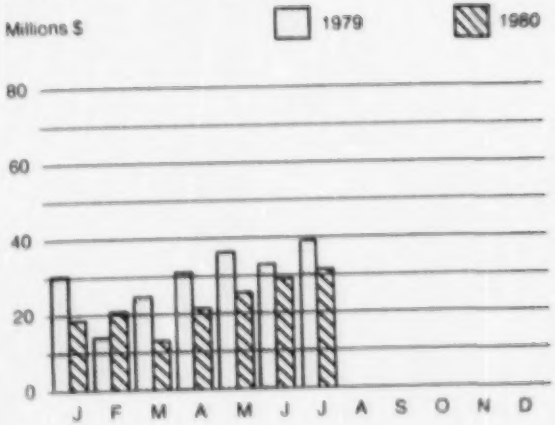
	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to August)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	1,793	1,050
% Change	−16.4	−41.4
Halifax Metro	1,137	631
% Change	−27.5	−44.5

Value of Building Permits

(All Types of Construction)



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% Change	−1.0	11.8
Retail Trade Millions $ (to June)	1,185.3	1,208.8
% Change	16.7	2.0
Tourism Accommodation Guest Days Thousands (to March)	392.9	N/A
% Change	6.6	

	Year to date 1979	1980
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to August)	113,100	125,100
% Change	20.8	10.6
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to July)	123,985	121,997
% Change	23.4	– 1.6
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. Ft. (to August)	1,990.6	2,048.7
% Change	7.0	2.9
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to July)	119,975	105,996
% Change	15.2	– 11.7
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to June)	1,223.9	1,381.4
% Change	– 14.3	12.9
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to July)	1,808.6	2,022.9
% Change	19.2	11.8

Exports

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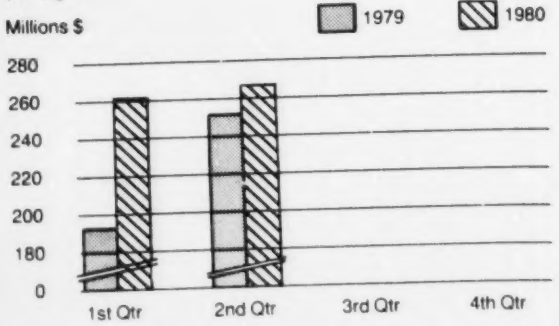

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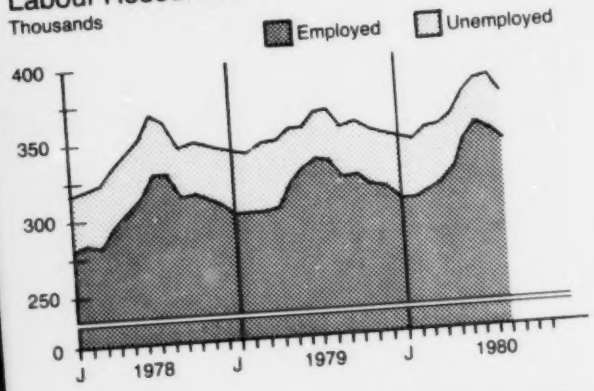
	1979	1980
People (at July 1)	847,800	853,100
% Change	0.7	0.6
Labour (September)		
Labour Force	354,000	371,000
% Change	2.6	4.8
Employed	322,000	341,000
% Change	2.5	5.9
Unemployed	32,000	30,000
Unemployment Rate Actual	9.0	8.2

Labour Resources



Regional Unemployment Rates (September)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	14.8	12.1
Northumberland Region[1]	7.6	8.0
Valley Region[2]	6.3	8.2
South Shore Region[3]	6.7	5.4
Halifax County	8.9	7.5
Halifax Metro	9.3	7.4

[1] Includes counties of Antigonish, Colchester, Cumberland, Guyshorough and Pictou.
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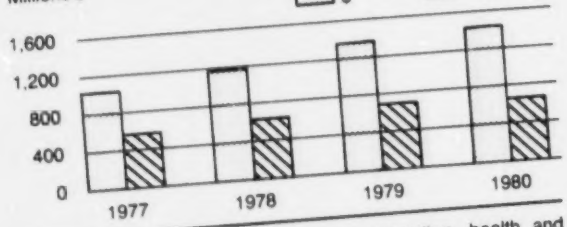
[3] Includes counties of Digby, Lunenburg, Queens, Shelburne and Yarmouth.

	1979	1980
Prices (September)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	194.5	215.4
% Change	9.6	10.7
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	190.8	211.8
% Change	9.4	11.0
Food	234.5	269.5
Housing	188.4	203.3

	Year to date 1979	1980
Incomes (to July)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	1,995.4	2,181.5
% Change	12.6	9.3
Millions Constant 1971 $	1,084.5	1,077.3
% Change	3.5	−0.7
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	242.35	262.23
% Change	9.5	8.2
Constant 1971 $	131.71	129.50
% Change	0.6	−1.7

Capital Investment



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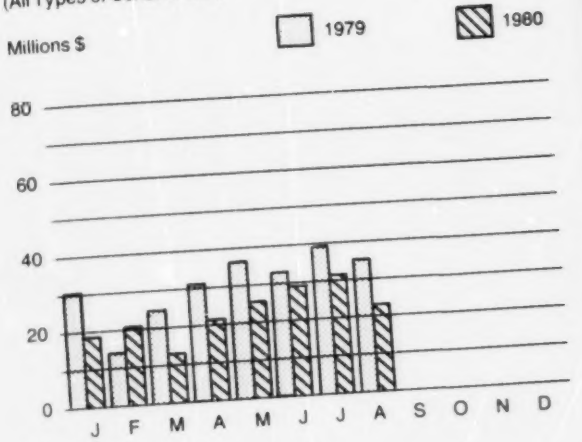
	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to September)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	2,008	1,206
% Change	− 15.3	− 39.9
Halifax Metro	1,253	693
% Change	− 25.2	− 44.7

Value of Building Permits

(All Types of Construction)



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% Change	− 0.1	13.6
Retail Trade Millions $ (to July)	1,398.4	1,435.2
% Change	15.8	2.6
Tourism Accommodation Guest Days Thousands (to March)	392.9	N/A
% Change	6.6	

	Year to date 1979	1980
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to September)	128,786	143,766
% Change	18.2	11.6
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to July)	123,985	121,997
% Change	23.4	– 1.6
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. M. (to August)	1,990.6	2,048.7
% Change	7.0	2.9
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to August)	139,933	124,218
% Change	12.5	– 11.2
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to July)	1,424.6	1,609.9
% Change	– 14.1	13.0
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to September)	2,348.9	2,528.6
% Change	18.0	7.7

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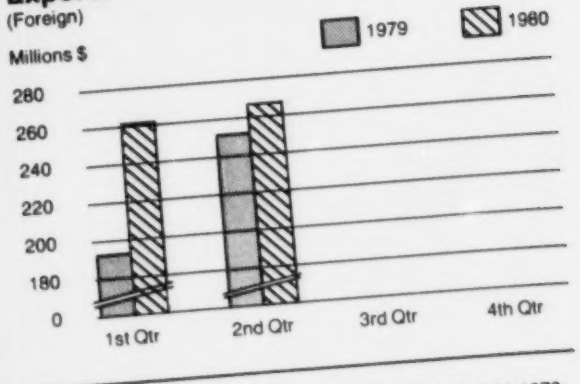

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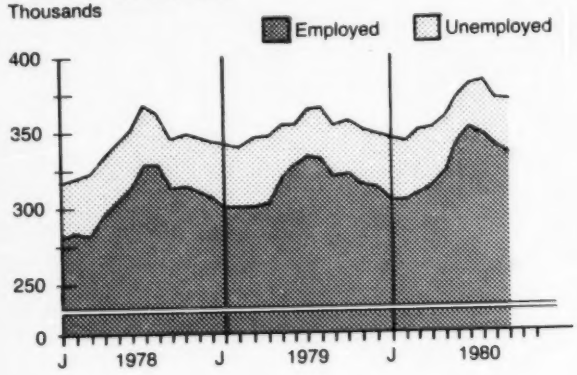
	1979	1980
People (at Oct. 1)	849,500	855,000
% Change	0.6	0.6
Labour (October)		
Labour Force	355,000	369,000
% Change	1.7	3.9
Employed	323,000	336,000
% Change	1.9	4.0
Unemployed	32,000	33,000
Unemployment Rate Actual	9.0	8.8

Labour Resources

Thousands



Regional Unemployment Rates (October)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	15.3	12.4
Northumberland Region[1]	7.0	8.9
Valley Region[2]	7.5	7.9
South Shore Region[3]	6.5	7.6
Halifax County	8.6	8.1
Halifax Metro	8.7	8.4

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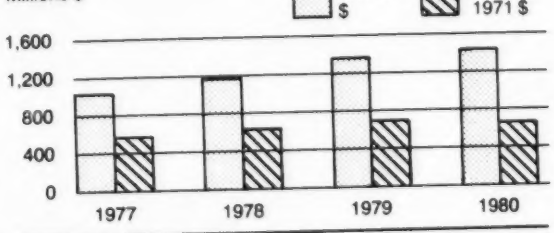
	1979	1980
Prices (October)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	195.9	217.3
% Change	9.3	10.9
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	191.7	214.6
% Change	8.9	11.9
Food	234.2	271.9
Housing	189.1	207.1

	Year to date 1979	1980
Incomes (to August)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	2,303.7	2,517.8
% Change	12.7	9.3
Millions Constant 1971 $	1,247.3	1,237.9
% Change	3.6	−0.8
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	243.17	263.40
% Change	9.6	8.3
Constant 1971 $	131.66	129.50
% Change	0.8	−1.6

Capital Investment

Millions $



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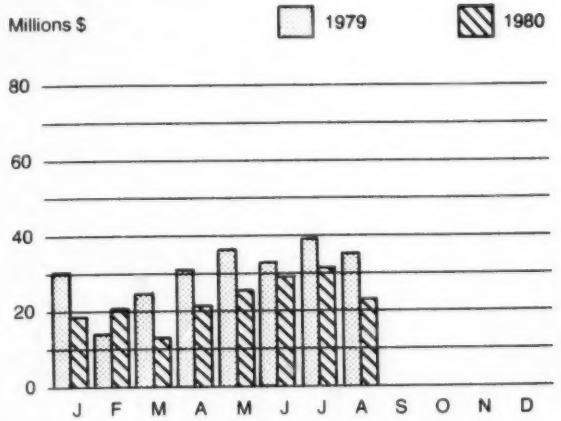
	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to October)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	2,247	1,385
% Change	− 13.3	− 46.6
Halifax Metro	1,408	793
% Change	− 20.5	− 43.7

Value of Building Permits

(All Types of Construction)



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% Change	0.6	13.1
Retail Trade		
Millions $ (to August)	1,627.2	1,672.2
% Change	16.0	2.8
Tourism		
Accommodation Guest Days		
Thousands (to March)	392.9	N/A
% Change	6.6	

	Year to date 1979	1980
Output		
Farm Cash Income		
Thousands $ (to October)	141,200	163,000
% Change	13.9	15.4
Fish Landings		
Thousands $ (to August)	144,661	139,380
% Change	21.0	– 3.7
Pulpwood Production		
Thousands Cu. M. (to October)	2,533.2	2,695.9
% Change	3.8	6.4
Lumber Production		
Thousands Bd. Ft. (to September)	160,289	142,294
% Change	12.2	– 11.2
Coal Production		
Thousands Metric Tons (to August)	1,567.5	1,859.3
% Change	–15.4	18.6
Manufacturing Production		
Thousands $ (to October)	2,645.0	2,827.6
% Change	18.4	6.9

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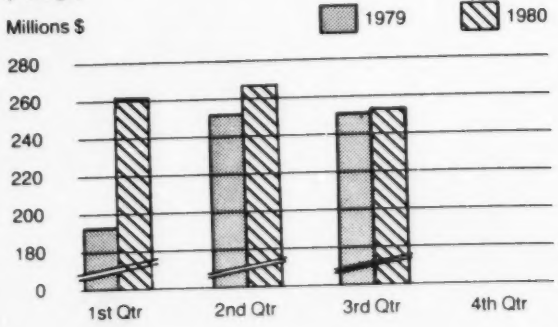

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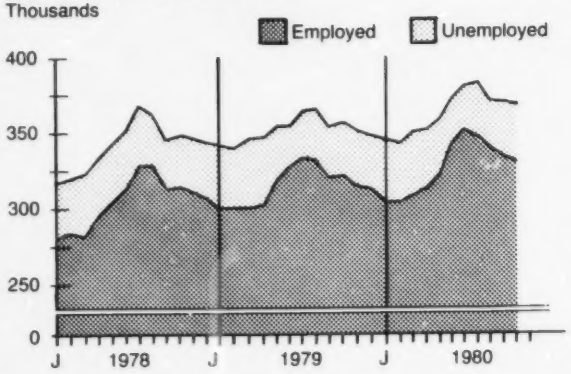
	1979	1980
People		
(at Oct. 1)	849,500	855,000
% Change	0.6	0.6
Labour (November)		
Labour Force	351,000	365,000
% Change	1.4	4.0
Employed	317,000	329,000
% Change	1.6	3.8
Unemployed	34,000	37,000
Unemployment Rate		
Actual	9.6	10.0

Labour Resources

Thousands



Regional Unemployment Rates (November)

Actual

Cape Breton Island	13.8	16.7
Northumberland Region[1]	7.3	9.8
Valley Region[2]	9.1	9.8
South Shore Region[3]	6.5	8.7
Halifax County	10.2	8.1
Halifax Metro	10.6	7.9

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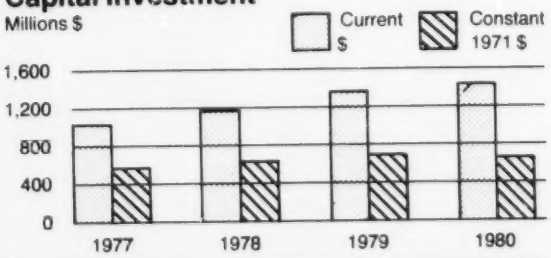
	1979	1980
Prices (November)		
Consumer Price Index (1971 = 100)		
Canada:		
All Items[1]	197.8	220.0
% Change	9.4	11.2
Halifax:		
All Items[1]	194.0	217.8
% Change	9.1	12.3
Food	235.2	273.6
Housing	191.0	209.3

	Year to date 1979	1980
Incomes (to September)		
Total Wages and Salaries		
Millions Current $	2,607.4	2,849.1
% Change	12.4	9.3
Millions Constant 1971 $	1,406.4	1,393.9
% Change	3.2	−0.9
Average Weekly Wages Industrial Composite		
Current $	243.66	263.66
% Change	9.6	8.2
Constant 1971 $	131.42	128.99
% Change	0.7	−1.8

Capital Investment

Millions $



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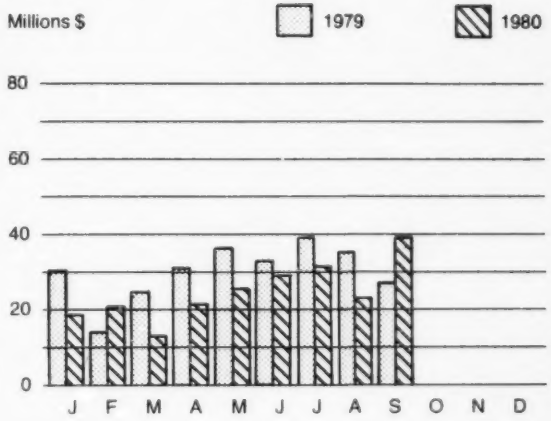
	Year to date 1979	1980
Construction (to November)		
Housing Starts:		
Centers 10,000 +	2,489	1,814
% Change	− 17.3	− 27.1
Halifax Metro	1,514	1,095
% Change	− 25.9	− 27.7

Value of Building Permits

(All Types of Construction)



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% Change	0.4	16.2
Retail Trade		
Millions $ (to September)	1,826.6	1,888.5
% Change	14.5	3.4
Tourism		
Accommodation Guest Days		
Thousands (to March)	392.9	N/A
% Change	6.6	